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**Applicants:** RITZ, Arnd **U.S.S.N.** 10/598,608

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Title: HIGH-PRESSURE DISCHARGE LAMP

## **Mail Stop RCE**

Commissioner for Patents Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## TRANSMITTAL OF AN AMENDMENT

Dear Sirs:

Attached is an Amendment and Response that was inadvertently omitted from the RCE submission filed on March 3, 2009. The undersigned attorney is grateful to Examiner Roy for the courtesy of a telephone call on April 2, 2009 and subsequent teleconference earlier today regarding this omission.

If this submission is not considered timely filed, Applicant hereby requests any necessary extension of time and, if there is a fee occasioned by this response, including an extension fee, please charge any deficiency to Deposit Account No. 14/1270.

Dated: <u>06-APRIL-2009</u> Respectfully submitted,

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